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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 2456  
PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. 09952.0020-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Giuseppe COVINO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2456  
Application No.: 10/568,688 )  
Filed: February 17, 2006 ) Examiner: Hua Fan  
For: SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE METHOD ) Confirmation No.: 2765  
AND COMPUTER PROGRAM )  
PRODUCT FOR MANAGING )  
TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORKS )

**MAIL STOP: AF**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the final  
Office Action of November 4, 2008. A fee payment of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
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Dated: March 4, 2009

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